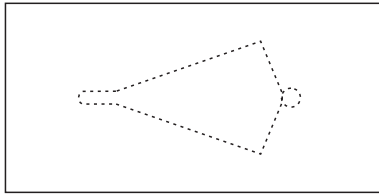
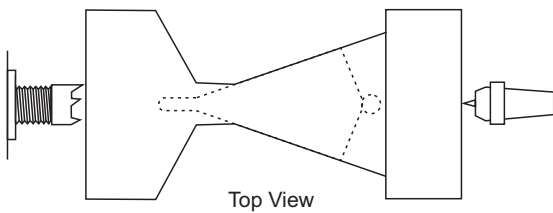


PENDANT JEWELLERY 3

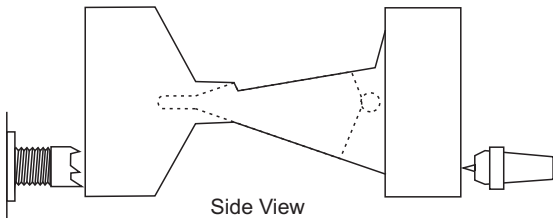
This is to make a pendant which is triangular when viewed and oval in cross-section. It may be of pretty wood or have embellishments added.



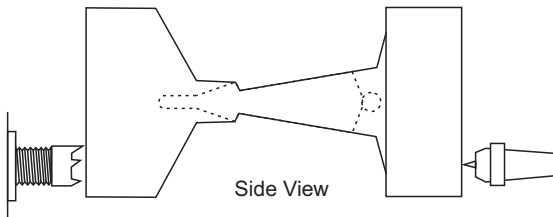
Start with a block that is larger than the intended finished item as width will be needed to get the oval shape and length to hold the piece while it is turned. Mark the ends and planned offsets. The offset distance will vary with the size of the work and your choice of pendant shape.



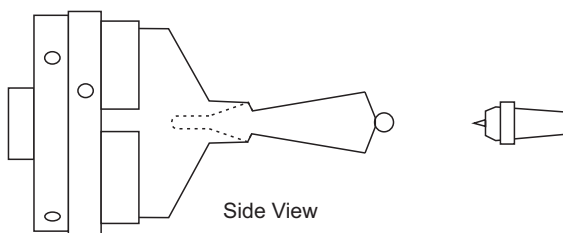
Mount the wood between centres. The ends need to remain square so mark the limits for that. Cut the centre part round and down to the shape of the pendant. But leave some extra wood at the thin end to support the off-centre turning. Draw a line on both sides of the turned cone between the non-offset corners at the ends.



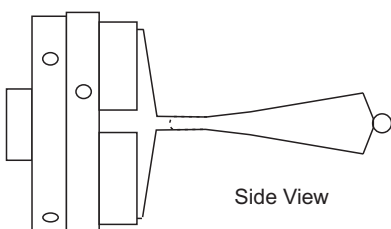
Remount the wood by your chosen off-set. Turn that side down to the pencil lines.



Remount on the other off-set and cut that side equally.



Remount the wood in a chuck and bring up the tailstock. Cut the tailstock end of the wood away and finish the bottom end of the pendant.



Cut the upper end of the pendant thinner. The very upper end needs to be the shape required to fit a pendant clip or have a hole drilled in it. Sand and finish all surfaces. It may be easier to add embellishment while it is held in the chuck. Part off.

